

## ABSTRACT

A recording apparatus for recording information on a write-once recording medium, the write-once recording medium including a disk management information area and a volume space, the recording apparatus including: a host apparatus; and a drive apparatus, the host apparatus including: a first instruction section for instructing the drive apparatus to allocate at least one first track and at least one second track to the volume space; a second instruction section for instructing the drive apparatus to record a file on the at least one first track; a third instruction section for instructing the drive apparatus to record a file structure on the at least one second track, the file structure managing the file; a fourth instruction section for instructing the drive apparatus to record a virtual allocation table structure in the volume space, the virtual allocation table structure managing a recording location of the file structure; and a fifth instruction section for instructing the drive apparatus to record track management information in the disk management information area, the track management information managing the at least one first track and the at least one second track, the drive apparatus including: a head section; and a control section.